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**From:** PSCSC Communications  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 27, 2021 8:15 AM  
**To:** Latimer, Becky; Duke, Daphne  
**Subject:** FW: [External] docket #2020-229-E

Good Morning,

Please add Mr. Lucas' comments to the Docket.

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**From:** Thomas Lucas <[communications@psc.sc.gov](mailto:communications@psc.sc.gov)>  
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To the Public Service Commission:

My name is Tommy Lucas, and I reside at \_\_\_\_\_, Blythewood, SC 29016. My wife and I purchased solar panels, as we want to help with the environment, as well as save some money for our kids and grandkids. We had 'SunRun' install solar panels on our home, evaluated to reduce my electrical usage at 72%, from the Dominion Energy grid. And, we have been excited that we have indeed maintained that percentage..(please understand we know the solar usage is more in the spring, summer, and some fall; but, we do contribute back to the Dominion Energy grid...

Now, Dominion Energy is coming back to the solar panel owners to demand more money for us because they cannot delegate the money they receive from all the customers of South Carolina. Why are the solar panel homeowners being penalized for trying to do the right thing? How many more corporate managers are going to get bonuses before we end this bureaucratic nonsense?

The SCE&G group failed with the VC Summers Nuclear plant, due to mismanagement of the funds; then, Dominion Energy swoops in and says, "We will pay every homeowner \$1000.00 to give back for all the extra fees we already paid to have the VC Summer Nuclear plant up and running. And just par for the course, Dominion Energy wants to add tariffs to those solar panel homeowners for trying to help... I was told that only 2% of our community would be allowed to have solar panels; so, did 2% of our solar panel community hurt this corporation that horribly.? Or, do the Dominion Energy corporate legion need more bonuses to support their lifestyles?

I'm a small business owner, and I understand what it takes to keep the company running and maintaining for success! But, this tariff excised on us folks that have willingly tried to make the system better is wrong!!!

If Dominion Energy wants to exercise this new tariff, then can we assume that they will pay for solar panel removal, and we will just go back to the other same homeowners who assume that the world is fair and the government and big business will surely do the right thing...

I would venture to say I will receive a 'thank you' email that states your group is looking into this issue and appreciates my thoughts; but, I have little faith in my government, so I apologize for my pessimistic attitude...